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SPEAKER BROMM PRESIDING

SPEAKER BROMM: Good morning, ladies and gentlemen. Welcome to the George W. Norris Chamber for the fifth day of the Ninety-Eighth Legislative Session. At this time, we're pleased to have Senator Janssen as today's chaplain. Please rise.

SENATOR JANSSEN: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Senator Janssen. Members, at this time please record your presence. Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you. Are there any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: Mr. President, one correction. (Read corrections, Legislative Journal page 141.) That's all that I have, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you. Are there any messages, reports, or announcements, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: I do, Mr. President. Reference report referring LB 233-312, and five constitutional amendments, LR 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, all those referred to the appropriate standing committee for hearing. Hearing notices, Mr. President. Education Committee, the Banking, Commerce, and Insurance Committee, Transportation and Telecommunications Committee, the Urban Affairs Committee, and the Agriculture Committee, all signed by their respective chairs, all hearings scheduled for next Tuesday, January 21. That's all that I have, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 141-144.)

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Members, we'll plan to stay in session for you to have the opportunity to introduce bills for a while. I would envision that we may adjourn no later than 11:30. So please bring your bills as soon as they are ready for introduction. Mr. Clerk.